

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Brian W. PRITCHARD *et al.*) Confirmation No. 4689
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Application No.: 10/802,761) Group Art Unit: 3744
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Filed: March 18, 2004) Examiner: C.W. Jiang
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For: VARIABLE EVAPORATOR CONTROL FOR A GAS DRYER

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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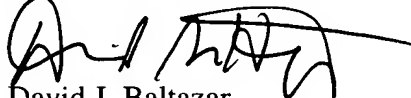
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), for a (2) two-month extension-of-time to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 21, 2005. Accordingly, Applicants request that the one-month period for reply be extended up to and include July 21, 2005.

A fee of \$450.00 is believed due in connection with this petition. Submitted herewith is a check payment for the required amount. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-2036.

Respectfully submitted,

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